

Fiscal Note 2011 Biennium

Bill # HB0516 Primary Sponsor: McAlpin, Dave			Title: Prohibit smoking with children in vehicle Status: As Introduced							
☐ Significant Local Gov Impact ☐ Needs to be included in the Executive Budget ☐ Significant Long-To-				Technical Concerns Dedicated Revenue F	orm Attached					
FISCAL SUMMARY										
Expenditures: General Fund			FY 2010 <u>Difference</u> \$0	FY 2 <u>Differ</u>		FY 2012 <u>Difference</u> \$0	FY 2013 <u>Difference</u> \$0			

Description of fiscal impact:

Net Impact-General Fund Balance:

HB 516 would increase Montana Highway Patrol fine revenue to the state general fund by creating a new secondary violation with a monetary penalty.

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FISCAL ANALYSIS

Assumptions:

Revenue:

General Fund

Department of Justice

- 1. It is impossible to predict how many citations could be issued under this bill. For purposes of this fiscal note, it is assumed that number of citations issued would be similar to the number of citations issued for the open-container law. Therefore, it is assumed the MHP would issue 400 citations each fiscal year for violations under HB 516.
- 2. HB 516 provides for a \$50.00 fine for a violation described in this bill. The fine revenue is split between the state general fund (50%) and the county in which the offense occurred (50%).
- 3. Therefore, the state general fund would increase \$10,000 in FY 2011, FY 2012, and FY 2013 [400 citations * \$50.00 fine = \$20,000 * 50% = \$10,000]. Due to the effective date of this bill (10/1/2009), the general fund would increase \$7,500 in FY 2010 [\$10,000 * 0.75 year = \$7,500].

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Fiscal Impact:	FY 2010 <u>Difference</u>	FY 2011 <u>Difference</u>	FY 2012 <u>Difference</u>	FY 2013 Difference			
Expenditures: Operating Expenses	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0			
Funding of Expenditures: General Fund (01)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0			
Revenues: General Fund (01)	\$7,500	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$10,000			
Net Impact to Fund Balance (Revenue minus Funding of Expenditures): General Fund (01) \$7,500 \$10,000 \$10,000 \$10,000							

Sponsor's Initials	Date	Budget Director's Initials	Date

Effect on County or Other Local Revenues or Expenditures:

1. Half of the revenue received from the violation would be distributed to the county in which the offense occurred.